

Department of Planning and Budget
2014 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB720

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: McClellan

3. Committee: Education and Health

4. Title: School board policy; employee/student lactation support.

5. Summary: The proposed legislation would require each local school board to adopt a policy to set aside, in each school in the school division, a non-restroom location that is shielded from the public view to be designated as an area in which any mother who is employed by the local school board or is enrolled in the school may take breaks of reasonable length during the school day to express milk to feed her child until the child reaches the age of one.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: None.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Indeterminate. See Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The bill would require local school divisions to take specified actions. The bill will not have a state fiscal impact. There may be costs to local school divisions to convert existing space to comply with the requirement. Any such costs cannot be determined at this time.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Local school divisions

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None.

11. Other Comments: None.

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